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Division of Vocational Rehabilitation

The Division of Vocational Rehabilitation, established by the General Assembly of 1929, administers the Federal Civilian Rehabilitation Act, and the funds provided by it, within the State of Maryland. The Division provides vocational rehabilitation and placement service to physically handicapped persons. Branch offices are located in Baltimore, Salisbury, Hyattsville, and Hagerstown (Code 1957, Art. 77, secs. 292-96).

Appropriations—1959

	<i>General Funds</i>	<i>Special Funds</i>	<i>Federal Funds</i>	<i>Total</i>
State Department	\$ 803,389		\$ 37,773	\$ 841,162
Vocational				
Rehabilitation	400,108		518,753	918,861
State Aid to Education	59,872,038	\$10,008,035	2,635,464	72,515,537
Teachers Colleges	2,912,753	486,175		3,399,468

Appropriations—1960

State Department	\$ 832,161		\$ 29,797	\$ 861,958
Vocational				
Rehabilitation	468,269		671,738	1,140,007
State Aid to Education	75,244,962	\$ 15,000	2,827,706	78,087,668
Teachers Colleges	3,207,846	604,664		3,812,510
Staff: 182.				

STATE TEACHERS COLLEGES

The State Board of Education and the State Superintendent of Schools constitute the Board of Trustees for the State teachers colleges. The Board of Trustees appoints the president and teaching staff of each State teachers college and authorizes all the courses of study offered. It prescribes entrance requirements for students and fixes the number to be admitted to each college. It also supervises the expenditure of all State appropriations for the colleges.

The president of each State teachers college is "responsible for the discipline and successful conduct of his school" and for the administration of all its departments. He makes nominations to the Board of Trustees for teaching appointments and submits for its approval the curriculum to be offered (Code 1957, Art. 77, secs. 164-66).

BOWIE STATE TEACHERS COLLEGE

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The State Teachers College at Bowie is a State-operated school for preparing elementary and junior-high school teachers. It was originally established in 1867 as the Baltimore Normal School, a private